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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EINV, EMIN, CT

SUBJECT: SCED DISPUTE

REF: BANGUI 1828

1. DDI MANAGING DIRECTOR JOLIS LEFT BANGUI OCTOBER 2 WITHOUT REACHING DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT ON FUTURE OF SCED. IN FINAL WRAP UP SESSION WITH DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER KOYAMBA HE DISCUSSED DETAILED DOCUMENT EMBODYING FOUR POINTS OUTLINED PARA 2 REFTEL. DOCUMENT, TO WHICH JOLIS HAS GIVEN HIS ORAL AGREEMENT, WILL NOW BE SUBMITTED TO BOKASSA FOR APPROVAL. UNDER THESE PROPOSALS SCED WILL NOT RECEIVE FULL UNBLOCKING OF ITS OPERATIONS BUT WILL HAVE ACCESS TO OFFICES, FILES AND BANK ACCOUNTS. FULL UNBLOCKING WILL HAVE TO AWAIT FORMAL AGREEMENT ON RESUMPTION OF SCED ACTIVITIES IN SOME FORM OR OTHER.

2. JOLIS HAS AGREED TO RETURN FOR FURTHER DISCUSSIONS IN ABOUT ONE MONTH'S TIME. JOLIS WILL BE CONFIRMING HIS WILLINGNESS TO RETURN IN TELEX WHICH WILL BE SENT TO BOKASSA TODAY. IN THE MEANTIME HE WILL PROBABLY SEND BACK AT LEAST ONE ACCOUNTANT TO  
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BEGIN ANALYSIS OF WHERE SCED STANDS.

3. COMMENT: ON BALANCE JOLIS IS SATISFIED WITH RESULTS OF HIS VISIT TO BANGUI. WHILE FOUR POINT PROGRAM REPRESENTS SOME MAJOR CONCESSIONS ON HIS PART, HE HAS MADE PROGRESS TOWARDS REOPENING OF HIS OFFICES. BALL IS STILL IN PLAY AND ATMOSPHERE REMAINS FRIENDLY. HE HAS GAINED A CERTAIN BREATHING SPACE PROBABLY UNTIL THE END OF THE YEAR. HOWEVER, IF BY THEN HE FAILS TO COME UP WITH CONCRETE PROPOSALS FOR RESUMPTION OF ARTISANAL PROGRAM AT LEAST, HE WILL BE IN TROUBLE AGAIN.  
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